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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the outstanding office action of April 26, 2000, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amendment) A single use lancet device comprising:

a housing, said housing including an ~~at least partially~~ open

interior and an access opening defined therein;

a lancet, said lancet including a body and a piercing tip;

said lancet disposed in said open interior of said housing and structured to move at least between a cocked orientation and a

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